

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

PAPST LICENSING GmbH & Co. KG
Plaintiff,

v.

SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD., SANYO
NORTH AMERICA,
Defendants.

Civil Action No. 08cv3608

NOTICE OF CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER

Plaintiff, Papst Licensing GmbH & Co. KG (“Papst Licensing”), hereby notifies this Court that on July 22, 2008, the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation (“MDL Panel”) issued a *conditional* transfer order (copy attached hereto as Exhibit A), which specifically relates to this action.

On November 5, 2007, the MDL Panel transferred four civil actions (involving the same patents that are involved in this action) to the United States District Court for the District of Columbia for coordinated or consolidated retrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. All such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Rosemary M. Collyer.

The MDL Panel issued the conditional transfer order as a result of a Notice of Potential Tag-Along Action, which was filed on June 30, 2008 by Papst Licensing GmbH & Co. KG (a current party to the MDL pending in the District of Columbia) with the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation (copy attached hereto as Exhibit B). In connection with the July 22, 2008 conditional transfer order, the MDL Panel set August 6, 2008 as the deadline for the filing of any opposition to the transfer of this action to the consolidated MDL action.

If no opposition is filed, pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, then this action will be transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the District of Columbia for consolidation with the pending MDL proceedings before Judge Darrah.

Dated: July 29, 2008

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